(c) if so, by when a primary/Secondary School is likely to be opened there?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) Delhi Administration has received representations to open a Primary/Secondary School at Vasant Vihar Government Colony, New Delhi. They are conducting a survey in this regard and if the need is established, a new upper primary school will be opened from the next session i.e. 1987-88.

Grant of Selection Grade to Attendants of National Gallery of Modern Art

247. SHRI KAPIL VERMA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 2935 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 3rd December, 1986 and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in pursuance of orders dated the 22nd May, 1986, selection grade posts in respect of Gallery Attendants of the National Gallery of Modern Art, New Delhi have so far not been filled in; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor and by when these orders are likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The implementation of the orders issued for Selected Grade to the Group D Employees from 1.8.1976 also involves applications of benefits to the employees who were in service on 1.8.76 and have since retired/expired. In view of the retrospective application of the orders, details are under examination and orders are expected to be issued shortly.

Non-Enforcement of Postal Amendment Law By Andhra Government

248. SHRI CHITTA BASU:
SHRI RAMKIRSHNA MAZUMDER

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a report appearing in a section of the press that the Government of Andhra Pradesh has since announced that it would not enforce the Postal Amendment Law; and

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir. But we have not received any official communication to that effect from the Govt. of Andhra Pradesh.

(b) Does not arise in view of the answer at 'A'. However, the subject matter falls entirely within the purview of the administrative jurisdiction of the Govt. of India. Insofar as Section 26 is concerned, it is entirely discretionary in character and it is up to the State Govt. to use the provisions of this Section or not.

Programme Entitled one-Rupee-Revolution by NCERT

249. SHRI CHITTA BASU:
SHRI RAMKRISHNA MAZUMDER:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that N.C.E.R.T. (National Council of Educational Research and Training) has launched a programme entitled one-rupee-revolution;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what are the prospects of its success, if any?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The series aims at introducing young readers to the world of knowledge by making available to them paperbacks priced at one rupee each on history, science, culture and on issues of contemporary India and the world. NCERT will bring out the English and Hindi edition of these books, while copyright permission will be given to the States to translate these books into regional languages. The first paperback 'The Historic Trial of Mahatma Gandhi' has already been released on 30-1-1987.

(c) The price of one rupee per book is well within the reach of students. NCERT and its various field offices will be directly approaching the schools to promote books in this series.

Manufacture of a New Freight Bogie

250. SHRI DINKARRAO GOVINDRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the firm to manufacture prototype of an advance new freight bogie has been selected, and orders placed with it; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir; nine firms were short-listed/selected and the letters of acceptance have been issued.

(b) The details are given in the enclosed Statement.

Statement

S.No.	Name of the firm	Type of Bogie
1.	M/s Bradken Consolidated Ltd., Australia	Rigid Frame
2.	M/s Amsted Industries International, U.S.A.	SSRC-DRI
3.	M/s Linke-Hoffman-Busche GmbH, West Germany	LHB-85
4.	M/s Waggon Union Co. GmbH, West Germany	WU-83 IR
5.	M/s Wegmann & Co. GmbH, West Germany	Tarsionally Flexible
6.	M/s Waggonfabrik Talbot, West Germany	DRRS
7.	M/s Burn Standard Co., Calcutta	Frame Braced
8.	M/s Sambre et Mouse, France	Y—25 IN
9.	M/s TEXMACO, Ltd., Calcutta	Self Steering Barber Radial

NOTE 1: The Firm at S. No. 8 have conveyed their acceptance subject to inclusion of tooling charges, which is under examination.

NOTE 2: The Letter of Acceptance to the Firm at S. No. 9 was conditional i.e. subject to their accepting the price originally quoted by them (which was subsequently increased by them). They have not accepted this.